RESPONSE UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.116 EXAMINING GROUP 3628

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AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION

Responsive to the Final Office Action mailed June 25, 2008, and pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.116, Applicants propose to amend this application as follows:

Current Claims are reflected in the listing of claims in this paper beginning at page 2.

Remarks begin at page 8.